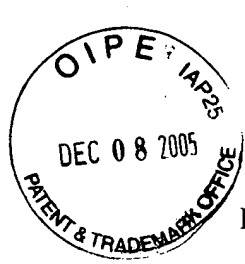


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09/654,655 6,773,441	09/05/2000 08/10/2004	<i>Methods and Devices for Tissue Reconfiguration</i>	Michael D. Laufer	064391-5001-US01 (formerly 11898- 002002)
10/819,995	04/08/2004	<i>Methods and Devices for Tissue Reconfiguration</i>	Michael D. Laufer	064391-5001-US02 (formerly 11898- 002003)
10/820,127	04/08/2004	<i>Methods and Devices for Tissue Reconfiguration</i>	Michael D. Laufer	064391-5001-US03 (formerly 11898- 002004)
09/574,424 6,494,888	05/19/2000 12/17/2002	<i>Tissue Reconfiguration</i>	Micheal D. Laufer	064391-5002-US (formerly 11898- 003001)
10/219,258	08/16/2002	<i>Tissue Reconfiguration</i>	Micheal D. Laufer	064391-5002-US01 (formerly 11898- 003002)
09/859,579 6,821,285	05/18/2001 11/23/2004	<i>Tissue Reconfiguration</i>	Michael D. Laufer	064391-5003-US (formerly 11898- 005001)
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10/438,346	05/15/2003	<i>Method and Devices for Tissue Reconfiguration</i>	Jeffrey C. Cerier	064391-5006-US (formerly 11898- 009001)
10/677,633	10/02/2003	<i>Tissue Fixation Devices and Methods of Fixing Tissue</i>	Jeffrey C. Cerier	064391-5010-US (formerly 11898- 009001)